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Applicant : Rajesh Kumar, et al. Art Unit : 1652
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Title : NOVEL CLOT-SPECIFIC STREPTOKINASE PROTEINS POSSESSING
ALTERED PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATION CHARACTERISTICS AND A
PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF SAID PROTEIN

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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated March 19, 2004, be extended for three months to and including September 19, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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